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Applicant : Nyqvist, et al.
Serial No. : 09/077,718 Examiner: T. Solola
Filed : June 8, 1998 Group Art Unit: 1613
For : TARTRATE SALTS OF
(R)-3-N,N-DICYCLOBUTYLAMINO-8-FLUORO-3,4-
DIHYDRO-2H-1-BENZOPYRAN-5-CARBOXAMIDE

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The Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants hereby request a five-month extension of time
extending the time for response following PTO receipt of the
Notice of Appeal from February 22, 2001 up to and including July
22, 2001 in order to file a Request for Continued Examination.

The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge
the required \$1,890 extension fee to Deposit Account No. 23-1703.

Any other fee which may be due in connection with this Petition
may likewise be charged.

Dated: July 20, 2001

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Richard J. Sterner", written over a horizontal line.

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